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REPORT OF LAST DAY'S ACTION - SENATE

SB 23 MOUNT RACING

Increases at-large membership of Louisiana State Racing Commission.

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 53 M SMTTH CHILDREN

> Provides for qualifications of certain mediators appointed to custody or visitation proceedings.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB 65 C FIELDS CHILDREN

Provides for a change in terminology for illegitimate children. Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

74 SB GENETICS

Prohibits human cloning.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SB 119 NURSING HOMES

Authorizes the Louisiana Board of Examiners of Nursing Facility Administrators to incur debt in the purchase of an

office building. (gov sig)

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SB 124 MICHOT PROCUREMENT CODE

Requires inclusion of certain Louisiana distributors in future group purchasing contracts of the Louisiana State University

Health Sciences Center. (gov sig)

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

SB 146 ELLINGTON MATRIMONIAL REGIMES

Provides relative to the valuation of goodwill as an asset

of community property.

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.

Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 161 B GAUTREAUX MARKETING/PROMOTION

Creates the Louisiana Aquatic Chelonian Research and Promotion

Board. (gov sig or 7/1/04)

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SB 166 HATNKEL MARRIAGE

Constitutional amendment to create the Defense of Marriage Act

to prohibit recognition by the state of same-sex marriage. (2/3-CA13s1(A))

Read by title as amended and failed to pass 25 yeas and

8 nays.

Notice of reconsideration.

181 SB PSYCHOLOGISTS

Provides relative to keeping of examination records by the

State Board of Examiners of Psychologists.

Rules suspended, recalled from committee.

Withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SB 190 T-ENTINT JUDGES

Provides authority for certain federal judges to preside over a marriage ceremony until December, 2004. (gov sig)

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 193 BAJOIE CHILDREN

Creates a pilot program for delivery of children's mental

health services.

Received from the House without amendments.

HINES SB 214 HEALTH SERVICES

Provides prescriptive authority for physician assistants.

Rules suspended, recalled from committee.

Withdrawn from the files of the Senate.

SB 226 DARDENNE NOTARIES

Provides relative to the form of the names required on notarial

acts.

Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.

Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.

SB 233 PROBATION/PAROLE

Provides with respect to the parole of offenders convicted of

certain offenses.

Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 32 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 243 BOISSIERE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS Provides for the eligibility of certain benefits for the attorney general. Read by title and finally passed, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled. 303 SB REVENUE SHARING Provides for an adjustment of distribution of FY2003-2004 funds within East Baton Rouge Parish. (gov sig) Rules suspended. Called from the calendar. Amendments proposed by the House read and concurred in, 34 yeas and 0 nays. Motion to reconsider tabled. SB 311 FONTENOT SCHOOLS Creates and provides for the Central Community School Board and school system in East Baton Rouge Parish. Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call. SB CRIMINAL RECORDS 320 C FIELDS Prohibits the collection of a filing or processing fee for the expungement of criminal records in certain cases. (gov sig) Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading. SB 330 MOUNT COURTS Provides for the disposition of certain court reporter fees paid for the indigent transcript fund for the 14th Judicial District Court. Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading. SB 338 ADLEY ENVIRONMENT QUALITY DEPT Authorizes the classification of security sensitive information and personal identification as confidential. (gov sig) Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading. SB 341 CHAISSON SAFETY REGULATIONS Defines passengers in the "open container" prohibition and provides exclusions for certain operators, passengers, and areas of the motor vehicle. Sent to the Governor for Executive approval. SB 342 CHAISSON GAMING Eleminates requirement that a video draw poker device accept coins equal in value to the amount of any minimum wager set for the machine. Sent to the Governor for Executive approval. SB 353 INSURANCE POLICIES ADLEY Provides for payment of claims for damages to motor vehicles used as collateral on loans.
Rules suspended, recalled from committee.
Withdrawn from the files of the Senate. SB 359 HINES MALPRACTICE Provides relative to claims filed under the Medical Malpractice Act. Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading. SB 360 HINES MALPRACTICE Removes 180 day time frame for selection of medical review panel members. Rules suspended, recalled from committee. Withdrawn from the files of the Senate. SB 367

SB 367 HINES HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
Provides for the classification of certain types of cancer as occupational diseases or infirmities connected with the duties of a firefighter.

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SB 369 NEVERS HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE
Provides for bidders on construction contracts who furnish health insurance coverage for their employees.

Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar subject to call as amended.

SB 381 LENTINI MALPRACTICE
Adds students being trained as paramedics to definition of ambulance service for purposes of the Patient's Compensation Fund.

Called from the calendar. Read by title and finally passed, 32 yeas and 1 nays. Title

read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

- SB 387 MCPHERSON NURSES

 Clarifies registered nurses' authorization regarding administration, titration, and continued infusion of anesthetic agents and local anesthetic agents. (gov sig)

 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 400 MARIONNEAUX GAMING
 Requires the governor to appoint one of the at-large Lottery
 Board members from among five Louisiana Oil Marketers and
 Convenience Store Association nominees.
 Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB 408 BAJOIE HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

 Creates the office of Women's Health Commission within the Department of Health and Hospitals.

 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 424 N GAUTREAUX TOPS
 Creates a TOPS Opportunity Award based on performance as a college freshman. (gov sig)
 Read by title and finally passed as amended 28 yeas and 7 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House.
 Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 467 FONTENOT ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
 Provides relative to general enforcement of the Louisiana
 Environmental Quality Act. (gov sig)
 Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB 469 DARDENNE ELECTION CODE
 Increases the period of time from qualifying to election.
 (1/1/05)
 Reconsidered. Read by title and returned to the calendar subject to call.
- SB 472 DARDENNE PILOTS
 Creates the Louisiana River Pilot Commission. (gov sig)
 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 477 DARDENNE CONTROL DANGER SUBSTANCE
 Relative to the offense of possession of ephedrine,
 pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanolamine, or their salts,
 optical isomers, or salts of optical isomers.
 Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted.
 Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- SB 479 B GAUTREAUX ETHICS
 Revises the definition of hospital service districts to which the nepotism prohibition does not apply.
 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 485 MOUNT CIVIL COMMITMENT

 Provides for involuntary civil commitment for sexually violent predators.

 Read by title, amendments adopted, ordered engrossed and recommitted to the committee on FINANCE.
- SB 503 HEITMEIER ADMINISTRATION DIVISION
 Authorizes the state to sell surplus movable property through the use of certain electronic technology, including Internet web sites.

 Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB 504 HEITMEIER FISCAL CONTROLS
 Provides for certain reporting requirements relative to annual fiscal oversight and program evaluation. (7/1/04)
 Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB 505 HEITMEIER FUNDS/FUNDING
 Provides for actual earnings from interest, dividends, and capital gains in the Millennium Trust.
 Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.
- SB 506 HEITMEIER FUNDS/FUNDING
 Provides with respect to the Support Education in Louisiana
 First Fund. (7/1/04)
 Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- SB 508 HEITMEIER GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION

 Changes Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation board meeting requirement from quarterly to no less than annually.

 Sent to the Governor for Executive approval.

SB 509 ADMINISTRATION DIVISION HEITMEIER Provides for employee compensation payments via electronic fund transfer. (7/1/04)Sent to the Governor for Executive approval. SB 513 ELLINGTON TAX/AD VALOREM Extends until 7/1/2006, a termination date for various property tax payment under protest procedures and authorizes the use of taxes paid under protest for certain nonrecurring expenses in the case of public service property taxpayers. (gov sig) Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 0 Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. navs. Motion to reconsider tabled. SB 524 HEITMEIER ADMINISTRATION DIVISION Corrects references to state planning office. Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate. SB 540 INSURANCE POLICIES CAIN Amends statute relative to standard fire policy. Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate. 549 SB IRONS INSURANCE POLICIES Provides for health insurance coverage for the treatment of certain medically necessary substance related disorders. Reported with amendments. SB 553 DUPRE PROPERTY INSURANCE Provides certain requirements under the Coastal and FAIR Plans. Reported with amendments. 556 SB Creates the impaired driver tracking system. Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call as amended. SB 564 DARDENNE CHILDREN Provides relative to federal and state tax deduction, extraordinary medical expenses, and mortgage and rental payments as they apply to child custody obligations.
Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading. SB 577 MCPHERSON ETHICS Restricts the exception of food and drink from the definition of thing of economic value to a circumstance when everyone in an existing group of a governing authority is invited to be the guest of a person. Rules suspended; reported with amendments. MOTOR VEHICLES 586 DARDENNE SB Provides relative to the distribution and sale of motor Rules suspended; reported with amendments. HEITMEIER LIABILITY SB 598 Limits civil immunity for persons volunteering transportation during emergencies and disasters. (gov sig) Read by title, committee amendments read and adopted. Ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading. SB CRAVINS GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION 621 Creates and provides for the Department of Children, Youth and Rules suspended; reported with amendments. SB 629 ULLO ADVERTISING Adds promotion of Master Plan goals and learning centers to the Board of Regents authority to advertise. (gov sig)
Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate. 676 PUBLIC CONTRACTS SB CRAVINS Auuthorizes rejection of the bid of any bidder domiciled outside of the United States. Rules suspended; reported favorably. SB 691 L JACKSON PHARMACISTS Provides for changes to requirements for membership on the Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee. Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

OFFICIAL JOURNALS

Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

Permits certain legislative records be made accessible on

SB

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HAINKEL

the Internet.

HAINKEL SB 716 LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS Establishes February 6th as Ronald Reagan Day. Rules suspended; reported favorably.

files of the Senate.

SB 802

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- SB 723 SPECIAL DISTRICTS Permits a physician member of a hospital service district board to enter into a lease arrangement with the board, but requires him to recuse himself in the board's consideration of such transactions. Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- SB 726 HOLLIS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Increases the membership of the Louisiana Economic Development Council and provides for various changes. Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.
- PSYCHOLOGISTS SB 754 HINES Authorizes specially trained psychologists to prescribe and to distribute, without charge, certain drugs and other related procedures within the scope of practice of psychology. (gov sig) Called from the calendar. Read by title, withdrawn from the
- SB 769 PUBLIC EMPLOYEES Provides for payroll deductions for certain foreign corporations. (gov sig) Read by title and finally passed, 25 yeas and 8 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 773 C FIELDS Includes local superintendents among those eligible to receive supplementary compensation or benefits from private foundations. Reconsidered. Read by title and finally passed, 27 yeas and 8 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- STATE OFFICIALS Provides that certain elected public official can do business with riverboat gaming licensees as a non-key gaming employee under certain circumstances. Reconsidered. Read by title and finally passed as amended 21 yeas and 14 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 817 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DUPLESSIS 1uthorizes certain home rule municipalities and parishes to require licenses for persons engaged in dispensing, selling, or serving alcoholic beverages, impose fees, and use revenues to provide funds for teachers salary supplements. (gov sig) Rules suspended, recalled from committee. Withdrawn from the files of the Senate.
- SB 825 MOUNT TAX/SALES Creates Uniform Local Sales Tax Admin. Procedure Act required by the UTC for the adoption of uniform regulations for sales tax law or its administration that is applicable only to locals, and not a sales tax law applicable to both state and locals.(7/1/04) Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 837 WEAPONS Provides for reciprocity with other states regarding concealed weapons. Read by title, engrossed and passed to a third reading.
- 844 INSURANCE PREMIUMS SB FONTENOT Authorizes payment of certain health insurance premiums for public officials. Reported favorably.
- SB 869 C D JONES APPOINTED OFFICIALS Mandates certain qualifications for the appointed members of boards and commissions with statewide jurisdiction. (1/1/05)Called from the calendar. Read by title and finally passed as amended 23 yeas and 7 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- SB 870 FILLINGTON COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS Makes various changes to the Used Motor Vehicle and Marine

Product Dealers Act.

Read by title and finally passed as amended 34 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted, bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

SB 871 **IRONS** SCHOOLS

Provides for physical activity of students, awards to school systems with outstanding programs, and a pilot program for a fitness assessment to collect baseline and longitudinal data. (gov sig)

Made special order of the day No. 1 for 5/17.

872 SB STUDENTS

Requires local school boards to establish a student code of

conduct which prohibits harassment.

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

SR 18

Deletes requirement of referral of certain Senate resolutions. Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SR 79 SENATE

Designates May 12, 2004 as "Junior Achievement Day" at the Senate.

Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

SR 80 C D JONES COMMITTEE STUDIES

Requests the Senate and Governmental Affairs Committee to study the pay of Senate employees and recommend a uniform pay schedule.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

SR 81 THEUNISSEN COMMENDATIONS

Commends Mrs. Donna English Walker for forty-four years of service to the state as a classroom instructor in the Acadia Parish School System.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted.

SCR 95 MCPHERSON HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT

Establishes a framework for permanent regional health care consortiums designed to continue the work begun by the regional health care summits called by the governor in 2004. Rules suspended; reported favorably.

SCR 97 HINES LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS

Declares May 11, 2004 as "Rural Hospital Day".

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 98 CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon the death of Louisiana State Representative Charles I. Hudson.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 99 COMMENDATIONS HAINKEL

Commends Sister Imelda Moriarty on the occasion of her retirement after thirty years as principal of St. Catherine of Siena School in Metairie, Louisiana.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 100 **MCPHERSON** COMMENDATIONS

> Commends Grady Gaines for sharing his music and his musical talents throughout Louisiana.

Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 101 CONDOLENCES HAINKEL

Expresses condolences upon the death of former state

Representative Benjamin Franklin "B.F." O'Neal, Jr. Enrolled and signed by the President of the Senate.

SCR 103 LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS MICHOT

Designates May 12, 2004 as "Junior Achievement Day" at the legislature.

Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended, adopted by the vote of 30 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

Received from the House without amendments.

SCR 104 POSTSECONDARY ED HOLDEN

Requests the Louisiana Community and Technical College System to study the feasibility of adoption of the Ohio University "Skills Max" program.

Introduced in the Senate. Read by title, rules suspended,

adopted by the vote of 30 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

- SCR 105 DUPRE INDIAN AFFAIRS
 - For purposes of receiving federal Indian education funds recognizes three individual tribes and one confederation of tribes as state Indian tribes.

Rules suspended; introduced in the Senate. Rules suspended, read first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.

- HB 20 SHEPHERD HOLIDAYS
 - Designates Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday as a mandatory state holiday

Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 65 HILL ANIMALS

Increases the fine for violations of state law regarding the disposal of animal carcasses and restraint of sick animals Read by title and finally passed, 33 yeas and 1 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 154 MARTINY CRIME

Creates crimes related to fraudulent portrayal of a law enforcement officer

Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and finally passed as amended, 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 203 FRITH PUBLIC LANDS/STATE

Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Vermilion Parish from the Department of Health and Hospitals to the Vermilion Parish Police Jury

Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.

HB 230 PIERRE CRIMINAL/PROCEDURE

Provides for independence of indigent defender boards
Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by
title, lies over under the rules.

HB 257 CRANE STUDENT/LOANS-SCHOLARSHP

Increases membership of Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission and provides relative to commission members of La. Tuition Trust Authority

Read second time by title and referred to committee on EDUCATION.

HB 272 DURAND HEALTH CARE

Provides for the creation of the Louisiana Emergency Response Network (LERN)

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 277 ALARIO FUNDS/FUNDING

Changes the name of the recipient of the monies derived from the Compaq Classic in the Sports Facility Assistance Fund from the Classic Foundation, Inc. to the FORE Kids Foundation, Inc. Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 327 DURAND PROPERTY/PUBLIC

Authorizes the state to transfer certain tracts of land in St. Martin Parish

Read by title and finally passed, 38 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.

HB 332 PINAC BANKS/BANKING

Provides for certain exemptions from licensure and continuing education under the Residential Mortgage Lending Act Rules suspended; reported favorably.

HB 345 K CARTER INSURANCE/LIFE

Changes the termination date for the interest rate paid on annuities

Read second time by title and referred to committee on INSURANCE.

HB 349 HEBERT INSURANCE/HOMEOWNERS

Requires actual payment by the insurer for there to be a claim against a homeowner's policy

Read second time by title and referred to committee on INSURANCE.

- HB 355 MARTINY CRIME/ESCAPE
 Provides for the forfeiture of good time
 Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title
 read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
 reconsider tabled.
- HB 356 MARTINY GAMBLING

 Creates crime of unlawful play of certain gaming devices by a person under the age of 21

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY B.
- HB 382 E GUILLORY ELECTIONS/CANDIDATES
 Requires the Board of Ethics to provide information to any candidate who qualifies for elective office regarding certain prohibitions which apply to public officials
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on SENATE & GOV AFFAIRS.
- HB 402 FLAVIN CRIMINAL/PROCESS
 Authorizes service of subpoenas by district attorney
 investigators
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and
 referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 466 ALARIO FUNDS/FUNDING
 Provides relative to competitive bidding for certificate of deposit and share accounts
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 467 ALARIO TREASURER

 Provides relative to the payment of principal and interest by the state treasurer

 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 486 McDONALD STUDENT/TUITION
 Concerning education savings accounts administered by
 Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority, deletes certain investment
 limitations and provides relative to payment of refunds upon
 account termination
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 EDUCATION.
- HB 523 K CARTER INSURERS/AGENTS

 Provides relative to continuing education requirements for insurance agents

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on INSURANCE.
- HB 585 HOPKINS GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER
 Permits advertising at video draw poker establishments
 Read by title. Returned to the calendar subject to call.
- HB 599 G SMITH WATERWAYS/SCENIC RIVERS
 Provides relative to environmental remediation activities on
 Bayou Trepagnier
 Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title
 read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
 reconsider tabled.
- HB 620 PIERRE COASTAL RES/COASTAL ZONE
 Provides relative to venue for actions involving oyster leases
 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by
 title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 622 HEBERT CHILDREN/VISITATION RGTS

 Provides penalties for violations of visitation orders

 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 637 QUEZAIRE PROPERTY/PUBLIC
 Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Sabine
 Parish from the Louisiana Technical College to the Department
 of Transportation and Development
 Read by title and finally passed as amended 38 yeas and
 0 nays; title read and adopted and bill ordered to
 the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 648 ALARIO FUNDS/FUNDING
 Provides relative to the presumptions of abandonment of intangible property
 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

- HB 652 PIERRE ENERGY/OIL & GAS
 Provides relative to monies deposited to the Oilfield Site
 Restoration Fund
 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by
 title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 657 QUEZAIRE PUBLIC LANDS/STATE
 Authorizes the transfer of certain state property in Assumption
 Parish from the Department of Transportation and Development to
 the Assumption Parish Police Jury
 Senate floor amendments read and adopted. Read by title and
 finally passed as amended, 37 yeas and 0 nays; title read
 and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
 reconsider tabled.
- HB 663 WINSTON SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT
 Provides for availability of criminal history record information
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 668 MONTGOMERY ENERGY/OIL & GAS

 Provides relative to underground storage facilities

 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 698 JOHNS PHARMACISTS
 Provides relative to the powers and duties of the Board of Pharmacy
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 704 BRUNEAU EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT
 Allows refrigeration of human remains by funeral establishments
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 711 BROOME SOCIAL WORKER

 Provides relative to payable benefits and reimbursement for certain services provided by a social worker

 Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to reconsider tabled.
- HB 736 LAFLEUR WILDLIFE/ENFORCEMENT

 Provides relative to penalties for class one violations

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on

 JUDICIARY C.
- HB 764 BRUNEAU EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT
 Increases certain fees and adds new fees to be imposed by the Louisiana State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors
 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 791 JOHNS CIVIL/PROCEDURE

 Provides for the pleading of damages

 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 792 JOHNS MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL
 Includes certain student interns under the protection of the Medical Malpractice Act
 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 811 HAMMETT ENVIRONMENT/QUALITY
 Exempts transporters from reporting certain incidents to the office of state police
 Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 821 HUNTER WORKERS COMPENSATION
 Provides for civil penalties for collecting workers'
 compensation premium from employees
 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 914 McVEA PUBLIC LANDS/STATE
 Authorizes the exchange of certain state property in West
 Feliciana Parish between the Department of Culture, Recreation
 and Tourism and West Feliciana Parish Police Jury
 Read by title and finally passed, 36 yeas and 0 nays. Title
 read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to
 reconsider tabled.
- HB 944 SCALISE PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS

 Designates the Oswald-Dubea Arboretum and Nature Center of

 LaSalle Park in Jefferson Parish

 Read by title and finally passed, 37 yeas and 0 nays. Title

 read and adopted and bill ordered to the House. Motion to

 reconsider tabled.

HB 953 DISTRICTS/SPECIAL McVEA Relative to the board of commissioners of Gas Utility District No. 1 of West Feliciana Parish, increases membership and provides for terms

> Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

нв 960 FARRAR TAX/LOCAL

> Authorizes Rapides Parish and the cities of Alexandria and Pineville to levy a sales tax on cigarette papers Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB 974 ARNOLD **PARKS**

Creates the Algiers Park Commission within the parish of Orleans

Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB 1011 PROPERTY/IMMOVABLE

> Provides relative to the terms of options and rights of first refusal

Signed by the President of the Senate.

HB 1015 LANCASTER CAMPAIGN FINANCE

Prohibits accepting of certain campaign contributions by statewide elected officials, legislators, and public service commissioners during regular legislative sessions and by the governor during regular legislative sessions and 30 days thereaf Rules suspended; reported with amendments.

HB 1023 OUEZAIRE MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC

> Provides relative to exemptions to requirements for a driver's license

Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB 1053 INSURERS K CARTER

> Authorizes domestic insurers to place their securities with a brokerage firm

Read second time by title and referred to committee on INSURANCE.

HB 1082 BURNS PLANNING/ZONING

Provides relative to parish and municipal planning commissions Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB 1099 INSURANCE/AUTOMOBILE R CARTER

> Provides for responsibility of damages caused by excluded drivers

Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB 1109 T POWELL DISTRICTS/SEWERAGE

> Provides relative to the powers granted to certain parish sewerage districts

Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB 1125 DAMICO SANITARY CODE

Provides alternative procedures for identification of potable and nonpotable water distribution equipment, piping, and outlets

Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.

HB 1146 PORTS/KROTZ SPRINGS LAFLEUR

Provides relative to certain appointments to the Greater Krotz Springs Port Commission board of commissioners Read second time by title and referred to committee on

TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.

HB 1147 REAL ESTATE DANIEL

Provides that property disclosure form indicate knowledge of prior zoning

Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

HB 1184 CIVIL SERVICE/FIRE & POL

Provides for the length of time within which municipal fire and police civil service boards shall conduct certain investigations

Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

- HB 1215 LAFLEUR RETIREMENT SYSTEMS
 Requires persons who have or who are seeking to obtain a contractual or other relationship with a state or statewide public retirement system to disclose certain expenditures
 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 1217 DURAND HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES
 Provides for licensure of pediatric day health care facilities
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on
 HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HB 1220 THOMPSON RURAL/DEVELOPMENT

 Creates the Louisiana Center for Rural Initiatives

 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1244 TRICHE ANIMALS

 Prohibits hog and canine fighting

 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1264 DANIEL PHYSICAL THERAPISTS

 Exempts the State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners from the requirement to subpoena medical records through notice or affidavit

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HB 1265 THOMPSON TELECOMMUNICATIONS
 Creates the Louisiana Broadband Advisory Council
 Committee amendments read and adopted. Read by title and referred to the Legislative Bureau.
- HB 1271 DEWITT RETIREMENT BENEFITS
 Increases the employee contribution rate and accrual rate and provides for leave conversion for legislative employees
 Read second time by title and referred to committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 1313 McDONALD DISTRICTS/SPECIAL

 Creates the City of Bastrop Special District

 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 1363 WINSTON JUVENILES

 Provides for the creation of youth services planning boards

 Rules suspended; reported with amendments.
- HB 1387 JOHNS TAX/AD VALOREM TAX
 Prohibit interest on delinquent payments postmarked by the due date
 Reported without Legislative Bureau amendments, read by title and passed to a third reading.
- HB 1401 J R SMITH PAWNBROKERS

 Decreases the maturity date for jewelry pledged in pawnshops

 Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HB 1424 BOWLER INSURERS/GUARANTY ASSNS
 Repeals law requiring LIGA to deposit monies into the state general fund
 Reported favorably.
- HB 1436 BRUNEAU ETHICS/CODE

 Provides for the agency of the public servants in the office of the governor for purposes of the Code of Governmental Ethics

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 1454 KENNEY PUBLIC BUILDINGS/GROUNDS
 Authorizes certain municipal governing authorities to name a
 welcoming center in honor of a legislator under certain
 circumstances
 Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by
 title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 1474 DOVE STUDENT/TUITION
 Authorizes and sets limit on increases in tuition and mandatory attendance fee amounts for students enrolled in technical community colleges under the Board of Supervisors for Community and Technical Colleges

 Received in the Senate. Read by title.
- HB 1480 FRITH PROPERTY/SERVITUDES
 Provides relative to the right and servitude of passage on waterways to certain enclosed estates

Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.

- HB 1483 APPROPRIATIONS/ANCILLARY Provides for the ancillary expenses of state government Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- REVENUE SHARING Provides for revenue sharing distribution for Fiscal Year 2004-2005

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- Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 1514 K CARTER INSURANCE/RATES Provides for a file and use system of rating for commercial lines of property and casualty insurance Read second time by title and referred to committee on INSURANCE.
- HB 1531 M GUILLORY MTR VEHICLE/TRUCKS Increases the maximum height of vehicles authorized to travel on highways Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 1550 MTR VEHICLE/DRIVER LIC Provides driver's license requirements for persons using bioptic telescopic lenses Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- HB 1579 J D SMITH GAMBLING/VIDEO POKER Exempts a licensed establishment located at a golf course from $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$ requirement of having alcoholic beverage sales permits to maintain video poker

 Read second time by title and referred to committee on JUDICIARY B.
- HB 1637 M STRAIN MTR VEHICLE/DEALERS Provides relative to sales of used motor vehicles by "black market" dealers Read second time by title and referred to committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- HB 1699 ANSARDI CIVIL/ACTIONS Provides relative to revocatory actions and repeals Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act Read second time by title and referred to committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 1700 TAX COMMISSION, STATE DANIEL Requires the Louisiana Tax Commission to create a statewide ad valorem tax assessment database for publication on the Internet Read second time by title and referred to committee on REV & FISCAL AFFAIRS.
- DRUGS/TESTING HB 1701 DURAND Provides relative to drug testing Read second time by title and referred to committee on HEALTH & WELFARE.
- HB 1702 K CARTER INSURANCE/HEALTH Revises certain provisions relative to medical necessity review organizations Received in the Senate; rules suspended; read first time by title, lies over under the rules.
- INSURANCE DEPARTMENT HCR 8 Urges & requests the Department of Insurance to pursue the NAIC insurance regulatory modernization action plan Reported favorably.
- HCR 36 BOWLER INSURANCE Requests the state legislatures in the United States to oppose legislation to participate in Interstate Insurance Product Regulation Compact Reported favorably.
- HCR 46 TRANSPORTATION DEPT LAMBERT Urges and requests the Dept. of Transportation and Development to study the feasibility of constructing an interstate interchange along I-10 in Ascension Parish Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.

- HCR 55 FAUCHEUX TRANSPORTATION DEPT

 Urges and requests the Department of Transportation and Development to study the practicality and feasibility of designing and utilizing traffic roundabouts at certain intersections
 - Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR 56 FAUCHEUX EMBALMERS/FUNERAL DIRECT

 Amends portion of continuing education rules for licensees of the Louisiana State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors Rules suspended; reported favorably.
- HCR 61 McDONALD CONGRESS

 Memorializes congress to appropriate funds to secure design and construction assistance for water-related environmental projects
 - Read by title and concurred in by the vote of 38 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR 165 CROWE CONDOLENCES

 Expresses condolences of the Legislature of Louisiana upon the death of The Honorable Gary Dragon, Judge of the City Court of Slidell

 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 167 SMILEY COMMENDATIONS

 Commends the St. Amant High School softball team upon winning their third consecutive Class 5A state championship Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 168 HUNTER CONDOLENCES

 Expresses sincere and heartfelt condolences upon the death of the Honorable Charles I. Hudson and recognizes his legacy of dedicated service

 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 171 TOOMY COMMENDATIONS
 Commends Beauregard H. Miller, Jr. upon the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his selection as police chief of Gretna
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 173 ANSARDI COMMENDATIONS
 Commends Sister Imelda, Principal of St. Catherine of Siena
 School in Metairie upon her retirement
 Signed by the President of the Senate.
- HCR 178

 MARCHAND

 SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH

 Declares May 17, 2004 as Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority,

 Incorporated Day

 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 36 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.
- HCR 181 WALKER CONDOLENCES
 Expresses condolences upon the death of Filmore "F. P."
 Bordelon, Jr., M.D. of Marksville
 Received in the Senate. Rules suspended, read by title and concurred in by the vote of 37 yeas and 0 nays and ordered to the House.